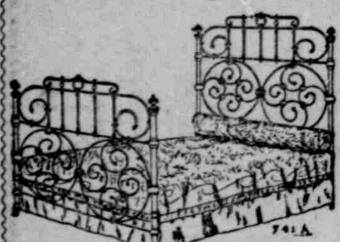
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AMUSEMENTS.

Pauline Hall and Hilda Thomas a the Grand.

Pauline Hall and Hilda Thomas are the stars of a great vaudeville bill at the Grand Opera House this week. Each of these artists in her way deserves the praise accorded the principal attraction of a performance. Miss Hall, who was very recently a comic opera prima donna, is still a handsome and attractive woman despite her twenty years on the stage. Her voice is very nearly as strong, clear and melodious as ever. Her entry yesterday afterpoon was accompanied by an outburst of bars of the operatic air she was singing. Miss Hall sang four numbers, and the encores increased in volume until the singer was forced to give her perennial favorite, the lullaby from "Erminie," when ous effort to persuade her to sing was made, but the singer could do nothing but smile her acknowledgment of the cordial greeting extended to her. Miss

Hall makes several rapid changes of cos-

tume, each of which is rich Hilda Thomas, who scored quite as great a triumph as Pauline Hall, is an entertain-Thomas has an excellent singing voice, and in addition is a comedienne of consummate ability. She impersonates a German servan. girl in such a way as to keep an audience in constant merriment, then leaves the stage a few seconds and returns a butterfly of fashion with raiment of the most gorgeous sort. Her take-off on society is one of the most delightful bits of burlesque imaginable and is done with such rare good nature that the victims themselves laugh as heartily as anybody else. Miss Thomas is assisted by Lou Hall, a young man who could doubtless display much ability if he were associated with a less versatile young woman. Another excellent act is that of Frank Gardner and Lottle Vincent. Gardner is an admirable eccentric acrobatic dian and dancer and has a good voice, which appears to advantage in duets with Miss Vincent. The latter is an operation soprano of great ability and sings with calcium light effects. Apollo's feats on the high wire are marked by grace rather than novelty, but the act is an excellent one with which to introduce a bill. De Witt and Burns are a pair of expert acrobats and equilibrists, but make the common mistake of trying to be funny. "The Harmony Four" is a mild way of designating a quartet of such clever singers, dancers instrumentalists and comedians as that made up of James Brachman, F. M. Barrett, T. C. Bergeson and Edward Hughes. Their sketch, which goes under the title of "At the Way Station," is full of life, fun and enjoyment. Professor Prelle, a foreigner, introduces a troupe of the best trained dogs that have been seen here yet. The professor himself is a ventriloquist and employs his talent cleverly to simulate the effect of animals talking. The canines are some of them dressed like human beings and others are transformed into splendid imitations of midget ponies. The matinees this week will doubtless draw an unprecedented number of juveniles. Those that were in yesterday's matinee audience shouted their approval of Prelle's wonderful dogs. The long programme, which is wisely croken by an intermission, comes to a pleasing conclusion with the kinodrome showing a new set of pictures. The views of the Galveston disaster are very inter-

Bonnelli and Stahl at the Park. "An American Gentleman" is the title of

esting, and the machine is manipulated so

that there is little of the "flicker" about

well-constructed melodrama that was presented for the first time in Indianapolis at the Park Theater yesterday afternoon. William Bonnelli, a young actor of atheletic build, and Rose Stahl, a capable and attractive actress, are starring jointly in the piece. The theater was well filled and the audience demonstrated its approval of the clever acting and the strong climaxes by giving vent to applause of a warmth that as seldom been noted at the Park this season. The company, with a few excep-tions, is of a high standard of excellence. George Mitchell as Denis and Edith Kingsey as Polly, the singing maid, supply most the comedy, which is enjoyable. They n several songs. The first act concludes in illing manner with a murder taking place in the Hathaway villa and visible to

the audience by means of the shadows cast upon a window blind. The setting of this act is handsome. The scenery shown in the second act is the richest of the entire production, being a beautiful woodland view, with a gypsy camp in the foreground. William Bonnelli scored a distinct triumph by his work in the role of George Hathaway, jr., known as "the Sampson of Yale. In the second act occurred a wrestling bout and other exhibitions of strength and skill, participated in by the gypsy Zeppo (Samuel Claggett) and young Hathaway (Bonnelli) that aroused enthusiasm among the audience. The men were contending for a human prize, Carina, "the Golden Gypsy," a character that was effectively portrayed by Miss Stahl. Helen Ware, in the part of Florence Carleton, an adventuress, did fine acting and won recognition in spite of the repellance of her role. "An American Gentleman" will run until to-morrow night, giving place Thursday afternoon to "A Ride for Life."

The Bohemian Burlesquers.

Since becoming a star, Billie B. Van, chief comedian of the Bohemian Burlesquers which began a three-days' engagement yesterday afternoon at the Empire Theater, has ceased to a great extent, to produce the comedy which he did in previous visits to this city. In past seasons when he was accompanied by his wife, Vevie Nobriga, they always put a great amount of "ginger" into their acts which kept the house in an uproar while they

Van is surrounded with a good strong chorus this season which he utilizes, especially in the last burlesque where some good singing is done. The same chorus does a nice cake-walk scene in the opening burlesque, but that is marred by the con-tinual screaming of the members who might have made a greater hit if they had spent the time in singing.

The opening burletta "The Jayville Sanitarium," is the same as produced here before, but the work of Mr. Gardner, who come up to that previously done by Van.
The part of Lena now being played by
Mae Hiliard is done creditably. Bobbie
North is also with the show but does not

Appear at his best, which is an interpretation of a Jewish character.

In the olio Fred Wycoff recites a number of jokes which have preceded him. The three Lane Sisters have a neat singing and dancing act. Johnson & Hiliard are best in their Bowery act. The three Gardners are funny in their musical turn. The Casino Comedy Four is made up of three men, two of whom do the singing. Paul H. Krauss men, two of whom do the singing.
In the last burlesque "A Scrambled Egg."
Billie Van is guilty of the worst lot of

The Zoo's Attractions.

The Zoo entered on a new week yesterday with audiences of encouraging size. The strong programme of last week has been retained, with the addition Schultz's performing Great Dane dogs, which are claimed to be from Prince Bismarck's famous kennels. Whatever their birthplace, the are undoubtedly welltrained animals. The group of Cingalese dancers are still prime favorites with Zoo patrons. These curious people give a performance that is both pleasing and interesting. The guessing contest to determine Farmer Jones and his pigs constitute an attractive number on the long programme. Captain Bonavita's exhibition of twenty forest-bred lions in a variety of tableux and thrilling feats continues to hold the palm as the best attraction yet offered by Manager Bostock. Pretty souvenirs of Bonavita's lions are being given away at the door each day. "Hard to Ride," the bucking bear, creates no end of amusement among the old folks and juveniles alike. The daily attendance is greatly augmented by visitors from the celegates to the mine workers' conventien now being held in this city. Great in-terest is being taken in the labor benefit Friday, which promises to be one of the events of the Zoo season.

Notes of the Stage.

John H. Russell, a theatrical manager and author of "City Directory" is dead at the State Hospital in Middletown, N. Y.

The association of vaudeville managers claims to practically control 2,900 acts that play its houses. There surely cannot be much left for the rival organization called "The White Rats of America."

A big vaudeville and concert benefit wil be tendered "Billy" Emerson, the old-tim minstrel, in Cincinnati, Friday night this week. Emerson will be seen and heard again for the first time in many years.

Dorothy Studebaker McKeown, said to b a niece of the mullionaire wagon maker of South Bend, will soon make her debut in vaudeville in a San Francisco theater. Miss McKeown expects later to appear in comic

Jack Haverly, who was once a famous time controlled over one hundred theaters now manager of a small playhouse in

"A Ride for Life," which comes to the Park Theater Thursday afternoon for the production, filled with thrilling situations. capably acted and attractively mounted

In a few weeks Clyde Fitch will enjoy the unusual distinction of having four of his plays running simultaneously in New York theaters. They will be his "Barbar Frietchie," "The Climbers," "Lovers" Lane" and "Captain Jinks of the Horse

Indianapolis theatergoers will have their last opportunity to-morrow at English's Opera House of seeing and enjoying funny Frank Daniel in "The Ameer." It will certainly be the last opportunity the present season, and in all probability forever, car companies legal. since a new opera is being written for Mr.

Leila Romer, the dancer and chorus girl of Edna May's company in London and of "The Girl from Up There," is dying in St. Luke's Hospital, New York, from burns she received at her home last week. She had been bathing her arms for rheumatism and in some way the liniment caught fire. The girl's mother, Mme. Romer, resides at Washington.

Crystal Herne, eldest daughter of the veteran playwright and actor, who will be seen with her distinguished father in "Sag Harbor" at English's Opera House the latter half of the present week, is gifted with literary as well as histrionic talent. Miss Herne is devoting her leisure hours to work on an original play entitled "The Building of a Woman." It has for its central idea the development of a woman's character through adversity.

The New Illinois Therier, Chicago, has experienced unexampled prosperity in the few weeks of its existence. Julia Marlowe orened the playhouse, then came Anna Held, followed by Ada Renau, after which came the funny togers Brothers, Last night Bernhardt and Conne'in began an engagement at the Illinois Of the attractions named Miss Mariowe, the Rogers Brothers and Anna Hald played to over-

flowing audiences. PERSONAL AND SOCIETY.

Mrs. Hulda H. Burdsal will leave soon to visit friends in Cincinnati. Miss Adelaide Goetz will entertain the German Literary Club this afternoon. Mrs. Hopper, of Toledo, is visiting Mrs. Rappaport, on North Alabama

J. C. Schaf has returned from New York. His family and Miss Maus will remain in the East for several months. Miss Caroline Burford, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Carpenter, in South

Bend, will return home to-day.

Mrs. Andrews, of Chicago, will arrive today to visit Mrs. Evans Woollen, Mrs. Andrews was formerly Miss Kate Gresham. Mrs. D. B. Milliken and Miss Jessie Milliken, of Connersville, are guests of Mrs. J. E. Whelden and Mrs. George K. Trask. Mrs. William E. English will receive Liabilities are about fifty thousand dollars. Fricay afternoon, from 3 to 5 o'clock, in Mr. Kirkman told his creditors that the ton-Worsham Drug Co.

Mr. Joseph Hall will give a dinner this of Miss Watt, of Chicago, who is the guest Mrs. W. B. Wheelock has issued invitations for a luncheon Saturday, in honor

of Mrs. Wheelock, of Iowa, and Mrs. Andrews, of Chicago. in honor of Miss Wheeler and Miss Royse, of Terre Haute, visitors of Miss Ethel

Governor and Mrs. Winfield Taylor Durbin have taken possession of the Lemcke residence on Meridian and Vermont streets and have for their visitor Mrs. H. C. Mc-Fadden, of Savannah, Ga.

Mrs. Philip Goetz has gone to Columbus Ind., to sing every evening for two weeks at the revival services of the new Christian Church. Mrs. Goetz will return to at the Maennerchor concert on the

Mrs. Ernst Abbett observed her first at home since her marriage, yesterday afternoon and in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Abbett received their friends. Mrs. William R. Budd, Mrs. Abbett's mother, re-

Miss Freda Krull has gone to New York and will sail Saturday on the steamer Patricia, for Berlin, Germany, to visit her brother, Mr. Fred Krull, who is studying Mrs. William R. Brown entertained at

yesterday afternoon, in honor of

visiting Mrs. Horace Wood. Among the guests was Miss Daniels, of Dayton, O., with Mrs. John V. Dittemore. At the Century Club this evening the story will be read by Mr. Millard F. Cox and the paper "Charles Reade," will be read by Mr. Wilbur F. Wynn. Memoria?

Mrs. Holden, of Camden, N. J., who

resolutions will be presented by a committee in remembrance of Mr. Fishback. The following officers for the Eleanor Hospital were elected yesterday morning: President, Mrs. Albert B. Thomas; vice president, Mrs. Frank Talbott; treasurer. Miss Gertrude Goodhart; secretary, Miss Vanette Miller; corresponding secretary,

Mrs. Samuel E. Morss will give a matinee party Wednesday afternoon to the Grand Opera House, with tea at her home on North Meridian street afterward, in honor vin Rice Maxwell.

The young ladies of the Pi Beta Phi and their alumnae were entertained by Mrs. Alfred F. Potts last evening with dance. A buffet luncheon was served in the dining room, which was decorated with red carnations and candelabra. The members of the fraternity are: The Misses Jessemine Armstrong, Lula Rellae, Jean Blair, Grace Hetfield, Ethel Roberts, Jessie Scott and Cora Hewitt.

The charity ball which will be given for the benefit of the Free Kindergarten and Children's Aid Society by the first and sixth sections of the Free Kindergarten at the German House to-morrow night, will be one of the smartest social functions of the season. There will be seventeer boxes, five arranged on the upper balcony, seven under the balcony on the dancing floor and five across the stage. The boxes will be separated by a screen of foliage and the interior of the boxes will be cozily furnished and the hostess will receive between the dances. Those who have taken Mayer, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Wasson, Mr. and Mrs. John C. New, Mr. Newton Booth Tarkington, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Elam, and Mrs. John H. Holliday, General and Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Courtland Van Camp, Captain and Mrs. William English, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Gay, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh H. Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Taggart, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Cockrum, Dr. and Mrs. Franklin W. Hays. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Tripp, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hayward, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Geddes, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hollweg.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The fourth annual convention of the National Association of Retail Grocers of the United States is in session at Detroit. The oil from the big Texas well recently sunk will be piped to Port Arthur and stored there in tanks. Thence it will be shipped in tank steamers. The stockholders of the North American

Company, at their meeting at Newark, N. J., yesterday, voted unanimously to de crease the capital stock from \$40,000,000 to

James R. C. Field, managing agent of the Beatrice, Neb., has filed a petition of voluntary bankruptcy in the United States will be to see that no ballot is allowed to District Court at Omaha. He places his liabilities at \$51,194.60, and assets at \$1,294.10. In a private car, fitted up especially for muscular St. Bernard dogs left Chicago yesterday, bound for Alaska. They we be used in the far north to transport supplies over the glaciers in the Copper river

According to news brought to Seattle by the steamer Al Ki, which left Juneau Jan terrific snowstorms are raging on the south Alaskan coast and the White Pass & Yukon Railway had been blockaded for several days. No damage to shipping is

in Trousdale county, Tenn., was robbed broke open the safe and secured between \$250 and \$300 in cash, besides a lot of stamps. It has been described as a beautiful story. The storew as then fired and the value of property destroyed is valued at \$10,000.

The Board of Revision of the City of Sandusky, O., submitted its report to the City Council last night, showing an additional shortage of \$20,182.37. The previous shortage was \$32,000, much of which has been paid. The bondsmen have no hope of securing any more property from City

The Supreme Court of Missouri has sustained a motion to quash the alternative writ of ouster in the St. Louis Consolidated Street-railway case, instituted by the Attorney general, on the ground of illegal combination in violation of the anti-trust law, allowing ...e consolidation of street-

President Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, who had been called to Cincinnati to arbitrate and adjust the trade dispute between the brewery workmen and team drivers' unions as to which organization should have jurisdiction over the brewery teamsters, rendered his decision in favor of the brewers' union

last night. In the United States Club field trials at Grand Junction, Tenn., the pointer Derby was run to a finish yesterday. The winners were Doc Light, owned by Dr. G. Chisholm, of Birmingham, Ala., in first place; Jingo's Romp, owned by N. T. De Pauw, New Albany, Ind., second, and Gray's Pearl, owned by John E. Gill.

Franklin, Pa., third. James H. Southall, who was convicted a couple of years ago of fraudulent dealings in government time checks, by which he dollars, yesterday had his sentence commuted by the Minnesota state board of pardons on account of the critical condition of his wife's health. Southall was paroled

and returned home last night. The 1,200 men employed at the Lattimer (Pa.) colliery of C. Pardee & Co. struck yesterday because of the alleged unwarranted discharge of two drill runners and the company's refusal to reinstate them as required by a committee of the mine workers. The miners at the Harwood colliery of the same company threaten to inaugurate a sympathetic strike if the matters are not

Burglars entered the Oak Park (Ill.) postoffice through a skylight early Monday morning, and with no one to disturb their operations opened between 2,000 and 3,000 letters and extracted the money found in them. The amount of the theft has not been estimated, but it is believed Oak Park citizens lose heavily. The robbery was discovered by the janitor, who found the floor behind the letter cases piled high with

Charges have been filed with Governor Nash, of Ohio, against Col. C. S. Zimmerman, of the Fifth Regiment, O. N. G., by Major Dodge, and it is expected that a courtmartial will be the result. The charges include false entries on the muster rolls and failing to account for public funds. The same charges are made against Capt. H. B. Wright and Capt. B. O. Squire. Lieutenant Colonel Pond makes counter charges against Major General Dodge. Potter & Kirkham, members of the Con-

solidated Stock and Petroleum Exchange, New York, have suspended.

honor of Mrs. Willoughby Walling, of recent slump in the market had taken Mr. and Mrs. Philip Rappaport will en-tertain a small company this evening in gin. Mr. Potter, of the failed firm, is said honor of their visitor, Mrs. Hopper, of to be the ex-president of the Maverick Bank of Boston, which failed several years age. Mr. Potter later announced that the firm had made a general assignment to evening at the Hotel English cafe, in honor | Walter K. Griffin, a lawyer. The firm had pretentious offices here and a branch in

By measures introduced last night in the Chicago City Council meeting it was proposed to secure adequate service from the traction companies and also to compel the Mrs. Francis T. Hord entertained at payment of compensations which the city luncheon yesterday at the University Club has been unable to collect. Mayor Harripayment of compensations which the city son recommended the withdrawal of one franchise-that of the Chicago General Street-railway Company-and an order was presented which aimed to refuse all further permits to the three companies until they had settled claims with the city, the companies being the Union Traction, Lake-street Elevated and the Metropolitan Elevated Companies.

Legislative and Senatorial Notes. The sixth ballot in the deadlock for two United States senators was taken at noon resterday in the joint session of the Delaware Legislature, with no material change

There was no decisive change in the Montana joint ballot for senator yesterday. Conrad received sixteen votes, a gain of eight. His gain came from Duer. There were no other changes of votes.

The Tennessee Legislature in joint convention canvassed the vote for Governor and declared the result as follows: McMilmusic there. Mr. Krull and his sister will lan, 145,708; McCall, 119,831; Chever, 3,364; return in the spring. scattering, 1,433. Governor McMillin will be inaugurated to-day.

After a long contest the Tennessee legis-lative Democratic majority nominated John W. Morton for secretary of state. Captain Morton was chief of artillery on the staff of Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest, the Confederate cavalry leader.

The Arkansas House spent an hour yesterday discussing a resolution extending sympathy to the Filipinos in "their heroic struggle for freedom." The resolution was amended so as to include the Boers, and was adopted by a vote of 53 to 39.

sota Legislature caucused last night on the two United States senators to be seected and decided to support former Judge R. R. Nelson for the long term and Senator | Lawrence 25,729 Charles A. Towne for the short term. A bill introduced in the Tennessee Sen-

ate by Mr. Peak to prohibit the employment of white teachers in negro schools. colleges and universities, was withdrawn of Mrs. Henry Hammond, of Clarkesburg, by unanimous consent and its author insuggestiveness that has been heard at this W. Va., and Mrs. Benjamin Blackford, of troduced another, making the inhibition Dem. majority..

Parkersburg, W. Va., guests of Mrs. Mar- applicable only to the public schools of the —Thi

The Utah Republican senatorial caucus met to-night and took ten ballots without making a nomination. Nineteen votes were necessary to a choice. The first ballot was: Kearns, 6; Brown, 6; Cannon, 4; McCormick, 11; Thomas, 8; Salisbury, 15. The tenth ballot stood: Kearns, 18; McCormick, 14; Brown, 4; Salisbury, L.

In the Arkansas Senate yesterday Senator King introduced a bill to exclude from doing business in that State any corporation that is a member of a pool, trust or combination to control prices in any part of the world. The bill is intended to supersede the anti-trust act of 1899, which has been held by the Arkansas Supreme Court not to apply to corporations which are members of combinations outside of

The New Jersey Democratic senators and assemblymen met in joint caucus last night for the purpose of deciding upon a candidate to be placed in nomination at to-day's election for United States senator to succeed William J. Sewell, but no vote was taken. The voting for senator will take place in the two houses to-day, and on Wednesday a joint session will be held The Republicans will vote for General Sewell, who will be elected to succeed himself In the Oklahoma Senate, which has a pare fusion majority, the picture of Vice President-elect Roosevelt appeared yesterday beside that of President McKinley, having been placed there by Territorial Secretary Jenkins. Senator Miller offered a moinstructing the janitor to remove it until after March 4. He was supported by Senator Clark and opposed by the Republicans, who succeeded in adjourning the Senate before the motion could be voted upon. The effort to have the picture removed will be resumed this morning. The fusion minerity of the Nebraska

Legislature will take advantage of the apparent Republican deadlock to elect two senators of their own political faith if the opportunity presents itself. This determination was emphasized last night when a fusion caucus was held to outline a plan for future action and if necessary do away with the plan of pairing. This, together side at yesterday's balloting, gave the Retublicans a sufficient scare to call for counter action, and a meeting was held at which a committee was appointed whose duty be taken unless the Republicans have a clear majority on the floor.

General Sporting News. George West, the noted driver and trainer, who has been gradually sinking for several weeks, was reported to be at the point

sicians have abendoned hopes of his re-Buck Stelzer, of Columbus, met Jimmy Murray, of Brooklyn, at Marietta, last night before a large crowd in a twentyround contest. Murray was given the decision on points. There was great dissatisfaction expressed when Murray was | Madison 70,470

of death at Chicago last night. West's phy-

Yesterday's Race Winners .- At New Orleans: Arthur Behan, 7 to 1; Athara, 3 to 1; Admetus, 7 to 5; Bummer, 5 to 1; Free Hand, 10 to 1; Jim Breeze, 7 to 1. At Oakland, Cal.: Ordnung, I to 4; Credo, 40 to 1; Lomo, even; Mocorito, 2 to 1; Handicapper, 7 to 5; Astor, 9 to 5.

At Montreal last night, C. E. Little undertook to throw Louis Cyr, the Canadian strong man, Graceo Roman style in twenty minutes. He accomplished the task in four minutes. Cyr weighed 340 pounds and Little 160. Little will now accept Atherton's challenge. There was a big at

The Board of Supervisors of San Mateo Cal., has passed a resolution limiting the racing season in Red Cliff to thirty-five days in each year. The usual season at the Tanforan track is eighty days in the year. The other eighty days of the annual season of 160 are reserved by arrangement for the track at Oakland.

James J. Jeffries, who is matched to fight Gus Ruhlin at Cincinnati Feb. 15, arrived in Porkopolis from New York yesterday and went to his training ground, Price's Hill, the heights overlooking the city from the west. Accompanying him were his trainer. Billy Delaney; his brother, Jack Jeffries; his sparring partner, Box Armstrong, and his secretary, J. P. Egan.

Ferdinand Poggenberg, the favorite for the billiard championship, was beaten last night by Edward C. Gardner, the Passaic Club star. The score was 300 to 207. The players met in the first game at the Hanover Club, Brooklyn, in the final week of the battle for the championship of the National Association of Amateur Billiard

W. J. Berkowitz, president of the Kansas City Manufacturers' Club, at a meeting of the Cincinnati Manufacturers' Club last night made an offer of \$70,000 to the Saengerfest committee as a bonus if it will give up the Jeffries-Ruhlin fight to Kansas City, provided assurances are given that all the people who would come to Cincinnati to see the contest would go to Kansas

The Hanley center-board yacht, as a competitor in the trial races of cup defenders will not be built, according to the statement at Boston last night of one the men who offered to give financial aid to the project. The reason given is that the men who intended to be the sponsers for the boat were divided over the matter of material, many wanting a metal hull, while others held to a wooden craft.

At Louisville last night Marvin Hart, of that city, knocked out Al Weinig, of Buffalo, in the eleventh round of what was to have been a twenty-round bout. Weinig was the aggressor up to the sixth round but after that everything was in Hart's favor. At the opening of the eleventh Hart knocked Weinig down with an uppercut on the jaw. Weinig took the count and was knocked down twice more in quick succession. The third time he had to be carried to his corner. Eugene Bezenah, of Cincinnati, won from Shang Parreto, of Louisville, in the preliminary.

How It Goes in Dallas.

During the present cold and grip season thirty-two thousand seven hundred and sixty boxes of Laxative Bromc-Quinine have been purchased by the following wholesale drug houses of Dallas: J. W. Crowdus & Co., Texas Drug Co. and Pat-

the firm rather suddenly and that few of AN APPORTIONMENT BILL

WAS PREPARED BY SECRETARY MITCHENER, OF LINCOLN LEAGUE.

bers of the Legislature and will Soon Go to the Legislature.

Since the enactment of the apportionment law by Congress recently there has been considerable figuring done among Indiana politicians with a view to preparing a new apportionment for this State. Grant Mitchener, secretary of the Lincoln League of Indiana, has completed a plan of apportioning the State which has been commenued by nearly every senator and representative to whom it has been shown. Mr. Mitchener's figures are very comprehensive, showing the population of each county in each new congressional district and the majorities in the elections of 1898 and 1900. In Mr. Mitchener's bill the average population of 193,574 to a district has been attained as nearly as possible. The figures of the bill are as follows:

-First District .tion. Dem. Rep. Dem. Rep. Pike 20,486 Posey 22,333 Spencer 22,407 Vanderburg 71,769 1,069 Warrick 22,329 Totals189,423 Rep. majority... Greene 28,530 Martin 14,711 Sullivan 26,000 1,142 Totals193,657 2,023 1,390 3,036

Owen 15,149 -Third District.tion. Dem. Rep. Dem. Rep. Dubois 20,357 30,118 *** Harrison 21,702 Orange 16,854 8,307 Washington 19,409 Totals180,836 3.605 3,257 Dem. majority .. -Fourth District .-Population. Dem. Rep. Dem. Rep.

Brown 9,727 Dearborn 22,194 Decatur 19,518 Jackson 26,633 Ripley 19,881 Switzerland 11,840 Totals197,929 3,173 1,521 3,693 1,146 Dem. majority... -Fifth District .-Population. Dem. Rep. Dem. Rep. Hendricks 21,292 Morgan 20,457 Vermillion 15,252 ... Vigo 62,030 Totals196,059 994 1,921 Rep. majority... -Sixth District .tion. Dem. Rep. Dem. Rep. Fayette 13,495 Totals195,170 2,403 6,952 2,233 7,952 Rep. majority... -Seventh District.-

tion. Dem. Rep. Deni. Rep. Marion197,227 ... 2,379 Totals Rep. majority ... -Eighth District.-Population. Dem. Rep. Dem. Rep. ... 1,659 Blackford 17,213 Jay 26,818 -Ninth District.-Popula-

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Tippecanoe 38,659

Warren 11,371

White 19,138

Grant 54,693

Huntington 28,575

Miami 28,344

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Carroll 19,953 Clinton 28,202 Fountain 21,446 Hamilton 29,914 ... 1,812 *** Howard 28,575 ... 1,485 ... 1,094 -- Disbursements.-Montgomery ... 29,388 Tipton 19,116 Totals202,915 Rep. majority... 3,451 -Tenth District .tion. Dem. Rep. Dem. Rep. Benton 13,123 Jasper 14,292 Lake 37,892 ... 1,604 Newton 10,448 ***

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-Thirteenth District .-

SENATOR OSBORN'S BILL.

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-Eleventh District .-

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-Twelfth District .-

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De Kalb 25,711 171

Kosciusko 29,109

agrange 15,284

Steuben 15,219

Whitley 17,328

Fulton 17,453

Laporte 38,386

Marshall 25,119

St. Joseph 58,881

Rep. majority...

Totals184,891 842 2,303

Rep. majority ...

Brightwood Committee Complains of Street Car Service-Other Matters. plaints of Brightwood citizens yesterday,

who asked for better street-car service. They said one more car on the line would relieve the congestion. building at 511 East Washington street, owned by H. D. Pierce and wife; a onestory frame at the corner of of Twelfth

zer, and a one-story brick on Wabash street, in the rear of 23 East Ohio street, owned by Hannah A. Mansur. The board adopted a resolution for the improvement of the first alley west of Meridian street, from South street to Henry street, with brick. A petition was received for the construction of a bridge over Pleasant Run at Ringgold avenue. The board will order an addition to the Haughville public building, to be used for the branch library in that suburb. The Library is now in the school building, and the room is needed for school purposes. Chairman Sahm said the board wil not take up the question of a pesthouse for the city at the present, as there is no

money to pay for such an institution. BUILDING FOR THE YEAR.

Part of the Annual Report of Building Inspector Bedell.

Building Inspector Bedell has completed part of his annual report for 1900 and will this week write his recommendations for the present year. Mr. Bedeil's report will show that the sworn value of building licenses issued during 1900 was \$2,266,215.75 and the number of licenses 2,288. Mr. Bede:1 It Will Call for a New Apportionment made 2,328 inspections and approved 442 plans. During the year fifty-four business blocks were built, eight churches built and Senator Osborn has completed his bill rerebuilt, fourteen factories, sixty-three lating to a new apportionment of the State houses torn down and three fire escapes and will introduce it in the Senate to-day. erected. There was a large amount of ilding in the residence portion, as fol-The bill provides for five changes in the ows: Two-story brick residences, 15; onepresent districts and leaves the remainder story brick, 11; two-story frame, 225; one-story frame, 535. There were twenty-three rick dats erected and six frame flats. Mr. where one district has a population much | Bedell reports fifteen violations of the build-larger than that of a contiguous district ing ordinance during the year. The build-



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which have been carried to the surface through the

added to the smaller for purposes of equali- The value of building in 1899 was \$1,657. zation. The bill if passed will materially against \$2,266,215.75 for 1900, and in 1899 there tricts and will give the Republicans another representative in Congress. The greatest KENTUCKY AVENUE OPENING. changes contemplated are in the Second, been rearranged so that the Third district, Report on the Benefits and Damages at present Democratic, will give an ap-Is Submitted. proximate Republican majority of 550. The Second, Fourth and Twelfth will be Demo-

ACTION OF THE COUNCIL

cratic, as now, and there will be a slight

Eleventh and Thirteenth districts.

increase in the majorities of each district.

There will be no change in the First, Fifth,

THROUGH A SWITCH ORDINANCE.

Controller Recommends a Temporary Loan of \$40,000-Before the

Works Board.

President Crall was absent from the regular meeting of the City Council last night and Vice President Megrew handled the gavel. The meeting was not a lengthy one, as a discussion arose to suspend the rules to pass an ordinance granting permission te the McCormick Manufacturing Company to lay a switch to a new warehouse to be constructed on South Capitol avenue, Those who were opposed to such speedy action moved to adjourn and it was quickly seconded and carried. The Board of Works had withdrawn a former ordinance from the railroad committee to make changes and the new ordinance had not been acted upon, but the members of the committee said they were willing to make a favorable report. Other councilmen did not see the necessity of such speedy action. The new

ordinance was referred to the committee or railroads. City Controller Johnson sent an ordinance lcan of \$40,000 to meet January bills. It was referred to the finance committee. The city controller's annual report was ordered spread upon the records. Mayor Taggart returned the ordinance providing for the improvement of West New York street from Walter to Lansing streets with his signature affixed. The railroad committee reported favorably on the ordinance granting the Big Four right to maintain a switch crossing Astor and Ohio streets. The ordinance was read the second time, engrossed, read the third time and passed.

The annual report of the firemen's pen-

sion fund was received. The report shows

the following receipts and disbursements: -Receipts .-Annual tax assessments.....\$11,879.80 Annual pay roll assessment...... 1,440.62 Bowen-Merrill & Co., donation..... 100.00 Woodruff Place Witness fees received from Cap-Bond cancellations 5.451.25 Amount paid beneficiaries......\$11,624.40 deposit) 25.50 Total receipts\$32,013.25 Total disbursements 24,902.21 Balance \$7,111.0 BEFORE THE WORKS BOARD.

The Board of Works listened to com-

The board condemned the one-story brick and West streets, owned by George Knar-

and a county is taken from the larger and ing last year was much heavier than in

Myron D. King, chief of the assessment bureau, made a report to the Board of Works yesterday on the cost of opening Kentucky avenue from Harding street to Belmont avenue. The benefits and damages are also set out. The total benefits and damages amount to \$5,502. The extension of the thoroughfare will pass through Sells's addition, Patrick Harmon's farm. MEMBERS OPPOSED TO RUSHING The largest damages awarded are as follows: Patrick Harmon, \$1,662; Sells's addi-tion, \$1,650; I. L. Bloomer, \$750; Theodore Montgomery, \$450; W. F. Churchman, \$450, and other smaller amounts. The principal benefits assessed are as follows: American Car Foundry Company, \$412; Nicholas Theodore Montgomery, \$450; Union stockyards and Belt Railroad, \$570, and other smaller benefits. The benefits and damages assessed against Theodore Montgomery amounted to the same. The board ser

> in the matter. BOARD OF WORKS ROUTINE. PETITIONS FILED.

Feb. 27 as the date to hear those intere

For bridge across Pleasant run at Ringgold .For gravel roadway, cement walks and Park-

Granting McCormick Harvesting Machine Com-RESOLUTION ADOPTED. bricking first alley west of Meridian street,

One-story brick, rear 25 East Ohio, owned b One-story brick, with frame addition, 511 East

Washington, owned by H. D. Pierce and wife. ILLNESS OF VERDI.

Conflicting Reports About the Great

Italian Composer's Condition. MILAN, Jan. 22 .- Various accounts are Giuseppe Verdi, the celebrated Italian composer, is suffering. The Secolo, of this city, says the malady is congestion of the brain. It asserts that at 9 o'clock yester-day (Monday) morning he had been unconscious for six hours and that the do

are still in consultation A bulletin issued at 9 o'clock last evening says: "Acute troubles in the lobes of the brain have deadened sensibility, and his Signor Verdi was taken ill shortly after his return from a drive and was found in

Rome Says It Is Slight. ROME, Jan. 22 .- The illness of Giusepre Verdi is not understood to be serious. It

is said he is suffering from a slight indis-



The divorce evil seems to grow with every year. 7,500 divorces were granted in the State of Ohio last year. We agree that there are faults on both sides, but the great problem is: Are those faults rem able? To a great extent there is no doubt the conditions which result in divorce may be remedied. Given a dyspeptic husband and a wife suffering from female trouble and we have the ready made elements of a divorce case. In view of the facts there can be very little doubt that many women look forward to divorce only because they seek relief from obligations they do not feel fitted to fulfill. Women are not to blame. They have looked forward to their home life as a dream of paradise. Then disease comes like a serpent and destroys

all happiness. Women who suffer with debilitating drains, inflammation, ulceration, female trouble and bearing down pains, will find certain relief and cure in Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It so invigorates the organs peculiarly feminine and regnlates their functions that they are established in a perfectly healthy condition. The old lightness of heart comes back; there's light in the eyes and a smile on the lips. The old irritation and nervousn

are gone, and the husband comes to his are as a haven of rest and comfort. "I was troubled with female weakness, and after taking three bottles of Dr. Pierce's Pavorite Prescription I am free from pains," writes Mrs. May E. Jones, 529 Madison Ave., Ypsilanti Mich. "I had suffered for two years when began taking your medicine.. I could not walk across my room without suffering dreadful pains Now I do all my housework and walk where I please—thanks to Dr. Pierce's medicine."

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